

CLAIMS

1. A fire extinguisher (61) comprising a reservoir made of plastic (60) able to contain a pressurized extinguishing agent, and a discharge device (65) fixed to a neck (64) of said reservoir so as to discharge said extinguishing agent, said discharge device comprising an outlet nozzle (70), and a dip tube (69) arranged in said reservoir (60) in such a way as to be able to lead said extinguishing agent from a bottom part (80) of said reservoir at the opposite end to said neck toward said outlet nozzle, characterized in that a wall (62) of said reservoir bears an internal rib (63) of helical shape, the axis (a) of winding of which is more or less parallel to said dip tube (69).
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2. The fire extinguisher as claimed in claim 1, characterized in that said neck (64) is formed of a double wall projecting toward the inside of said reservoir.
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3. The fire extinguisher as claimed in claim 1 or 2, characterized in that said neck (64) comprises an internal screw thread (68) for fixing said discharge device (65) by screwing.
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4. The fire extinguisher as claimed in one of claims 1 to 3, characterized in that it comprises at least one external accessory (72) molded as a projection on an exterior surface of said wall (62) of the reservoir.
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6. The fire extinguisher as claimed in one of claims 1 to 5, characterized in that said wall (62) of the reservoir has a thickness (e) of between 3 and 5 mm.

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7. The fire extinguisher as claimed in one of claims 1 to 6, characterized in that it has an internal working pressure in excess of 50 bar.

10 8. The fire extinguisher as claimed in one of claims 1 to 7, characterized in that said reservoir (60) has a polygonal cross section.

15 9. The fire extinguisher as claimed in one of claims 1 to 8, characterized in that said extinguishing agent is a powder or water with one or more additives.

10. The fire extinguisher as claimed in one of claims 1 to 9, characterized in that said reservoir (60) can be obtained by a molding process with bi-orientation, comprising steps of coating (32) a moving mandrel (10, 11) bearing a helical groove (39) and of blow-molding (43).